

# MEMORY DEAD, WED 3 TIMES IN 17 YEARS

"Comes Back to Life" When  
Recognized by Old Friend  
While Out Walking.

SERVED A TERM IN PRISON

Was Merchant, Accountant,  
Real Estate Man, and Con-  
vict During Wandering.

LOS ANGELES, Cal., March 11.—Three wives, two of his children, a term in San Quentin penitentiary, the world war, and the sweep of events while three men have been President—all these coming in the interval between an accident to him in 1905, and his recovery of his former consciousness a few days ago in San Francisco, have no place in the now uppermost portion of the consciousness of Frederick R. Emery.

For him seventeen years are a blank. The last thing that he remembers prior to being brought back to himself when recognized by a friend was that he had, in 1905, leaned over to wrap around a tree the illness with which he was driving a pair of mules.

Married Three Women.  
And yet, during the seventeen years since that moment, he married three times. He was soon divorced by his first wife because of his peculiar actions. With his second wife he lived for many years and had two children, although he finally dropped out of her sight.

Coming to Los Angeles, he became an expert accountant for the old Los Angeles Investment Company, and, when it crashed he was convicted of embezzlement and sent to San Quentin for two years.

During the years in Los Angeles he married a third time, this wife dying. Meanwhile, after he had been released from prison, his father had died. Emery has not the slightest recollection of the fact that he attended his father's funeral and wept bitterly.

Likewise, he today fails to recognize his mother who was living in Pasadena at the time of his accident. Confronted with the gray-haired woman in the presence of Sheriff Traeger, he insisted that his mother was a much younger woman and when shown a photograph of her as she was in 1905 immediately declared that to be more like her.

How Memory Returned.  
Emery came to consciousness in this way: He was walking along Market street, San Francisco, and, noticing many signs referring to that city, he asked a policeman, "Am I lost, or is this San Francisco?"

He then went into a hotel, sat down, and tried to think. He could only recall the events of June 15, 1905. Finding \$15 in his pocket, he rented a room. Disney, he lay down on the bed, where he slept for eighteen hours.

Toward noon of the second day he went to Union Square. There he met a man who spoke to him. "Pardon me," he said, "but I do not remember ever having seen you."

"Certainly you know me," was the

reply. "I knew you well in Los Angeles."

He then learned that it was H. A. Spencer, who, when Emery was in Los Angeles, had been secretary of the Sierra Madre Club. Emery then told Spencer he was groping for facts concerning himself, but so far had been baffled by everything.

Spencer then telegraphed Emery's mother in Pasadena. It was forwarded to her Los Angeles address.

Held For Passing Check.  
Meanwhile Emery, who through all his vicissitudes had never gone under an alias, was arrested in San Francisco for having passed a fraudulent check upon a Los Angeles bank. He did not say that he was innocent, but that if he had passed the check he had no recollection of it.

Meanwhile, Emery's mother and Spencer had been busy trying to reconstruct the seventeen dead years. The wife who divorced him and the wife who still believes in him have been sent for.

But the most important step in the case was taken today when an X-ray was made of his head, revealing the signs of the blow upon it, while Sheriff Traeger, in checking up most of the statements made by Emery, has found them to be true.

Emery has been a real estate man, newspaper solicitor, merchant, accountant, convict, head of a family and, for a short period, something of a tramp. Always he stuck to his name, but seemed to have nothing else that linked him with his people and his past.

The check passing case has been postponed at the suggestion of the State and all of the efforts of the officials will be directed to restoring Emery's memory.

## Nesting Birds Cripple South American Cables

BUENOS AIRES, March 11.—Birds who build their nests on the arms of telegraph poles are one of the most exasperating causes of the interruption of cable communication between North and South America, according to officials of the All-Americas Cables.

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—Mercerized Cotton Table Sets, consisting of one 64x84 in. Hem-stitched Table Cloth and half dozen 18-inch size Napkins to match. Very special value, per set, \$3.50

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## Prices Are Special Monday on DOMESTICS

—And the items included are those which every housewife finds almost constant use for. She will recognize their good quality and worth.

—61x90-inch Double-bed "Iron Clad" Linen Finish Bleached Sheets, with scalloped ends, 121 low cases to match. Both are strictly perfect and a limited quantity of each. Special Monday, sheets, each \$1.35

Pillow Cases, each, 35c

—Double-bed Pink Spreads, with bolster cover to match; scalloped and cut corners for beds with box springs. A limited quantity of these pink spreads, which we sell regularly for \$6.50, special Monday, set, \$5.00

—42-inch Soft Finish Indian Head Tubing, suitable for making bolster or pillow cases. Regularly 35c; special, 25c per yard

—Yard-wide Sea Island Unbleached Cotton, with a good even thread, suitable for fancy work or children's clothes; also pillow cases, seamed sheets, etc. It will soon bleach after a few washings. Special Monday, yard, 15c

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—Sizes for misses and for women of 36 to 46 bust measure.

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—Size, price and quantities of each kind given below:

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4 1/2 x 5 ft.	.87	1	2
4 1/2 x 4 ft.	\$1.27	8	4
4 1/2 x 3 1/2 ft.	1.47	1	1
4 1/2 x 3 ft.	1.77	1	1
4 1/2 x 2 1/2 ft.	2.37	14	14
6 x 3 1/2 ft.	1.07	6	6
6 x 3 ft.	1.37	3	3
6 x 2 1/2 ft.	1.47	8	8
6 x 2 ft.	1.67	2	11
6 x 1 1/2 ft.	1.87	1	9
6 x 1 ft.	2.07	5	5
6 x 3/4 ft.	2.27	2	9
6 x 1/2 ft.	2.47	19	19
6 x 1 ft.	2.67	10	10
6 x 3/4 ft.	2.87	10	10
6 x 1/2 ft.	3.17		

## 75 Full Rolls Felt-Base Floor Covering In 10 Good Patterns—2 Rolls of Plain Brown. Regularly 98c

Monday, Square Yard..... 44c



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24 to 28 IN. SUIT CASES, \$4.59

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—Black crepe grained cowhide; brass catches and lock. 14 or 18 inch sizes.  
—Limit one to a person.  
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## "Seconds" \$1.45 Felt Base Rugs, 39c

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—Size 36x64 inches; parquet design in green or tan. For vestibule, entry, in front of sink, etc.

—Limit three to a person.

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## 8x10 Ft. "La Belle" Rush Rugs, \$8.00

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## 59c Scotch Lace Brissie Panel Sash Curtains, 39c

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